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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.215(c), Applicant states that a substitute specification along with amended claims for pre-grant publication was filed electronically by Attorney Mark A. Hofer on April 17, 2002 (a copy of the acknowledgement receipt is enclosed). Applicant also states that in accordance with MPEP §607 any amendment filed concurrently with a Notice to File Missing Parts that required the payment of filing fees will be taken into account in determining the appropriate filing fees due in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts.